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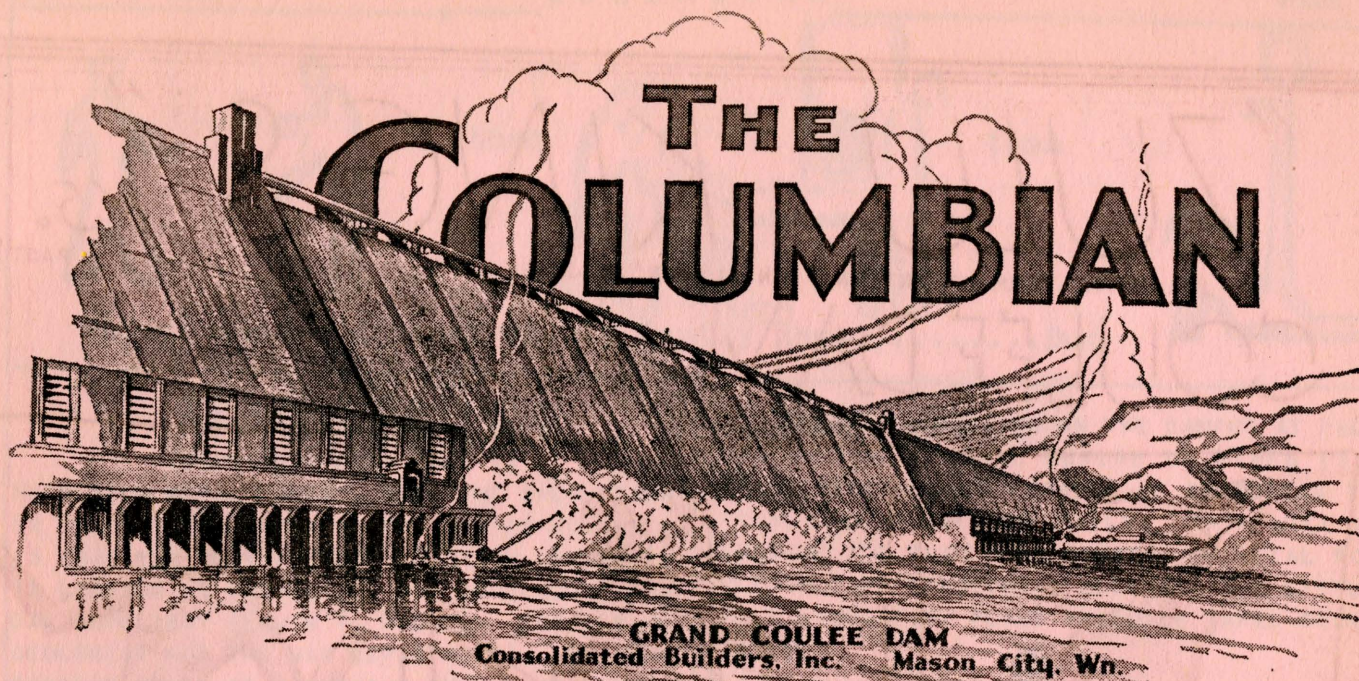
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MINERALS AND POWER WILL MAKE VAST INDUSTRIAL CENTER OF THE NORTHWEST

A NEW INDUSTRIAL ERA FOR THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST -- THIS MIGHT BE THE FORECAST OF A VISIONARY, BUT IT IS NOT. DEVELOPMENTS TODAY SHOW THAT THE ERA IS NOT FAR OFF, THAT IT TIES IN WITH THE PRODUCTION OF HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER FROM GRAND COULEE DAM.

IT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS ACCOUNT TO SKETCH BRIEFLY AND SIMPLY THE IMPORTANCE OF MINERAL DEPOSITS IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST, THE PLACE THE GRAND COULEE AND BONNEVILLE PROJECTS WILL HAVE IN THEIR DEVELOPMENT AND TO SHOW, IN SKELETINIZED FORM, RESEARCH CONCLUSIONS AND RESULTS THAT JUSTIFY A FORECAST.

INFORMATION HAS BEEN MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH THE COOPERATION LAST WEEK OF A. E. DRUCKER, DEAN OF THE SCHOOL OF MINES AND GEOLOGY AND DIRECTOR OF THE MINING EXPERIMENT STATION, STATE COLLEGE OF WASHINGTON. THE EXPERIMENT STATION HAS PIONEERED FOR THE STATE OF WASHINGTON AND FOR THE NATION IN MAKING STARTLING AND NEW DISCOVERIES THAT EMPHASIZE AN IMPORTANT PLACE FOR GRAND COULEE DAM POWER. SINCE 1936 THE STATE EXPERIMENT STATION HAS RECEIVED THE COMPLETE COLLABORATION OF THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF MINES, WITH H.A. DOERNER THE ENGINEER IN CHARGE.

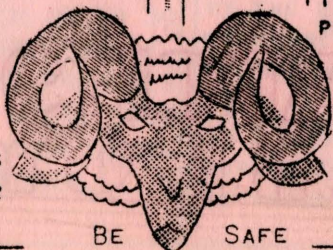
WITH THE LOW-COST POWER BEING MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH THE GRAND COULEE PROJECT, THE NORTHWEST HAS EVERY POSSIBILITY OF BECOMING A LARGE FUTURE ALUMINUM PRODUCING CENTER OF THE NATION," MR. DRUCKER COMMENTS. "THE SAME OPPORTUNITY AWAITS WASHINGTON IN THE FIELD OF ULTRA-LIGHT MAGNESIUM METAL AND ALLOY PRODUCTION FROM MAGNESITE."

HE BASES THIS UPON WHAT? HERE IS WHERE A STORY COMES IN. THE BIGGEST BOOM AMONG THE METALS IN THE NEXT FIVE YEARS CAN BE EXPECTED TO OCCUR IN MAGNESIUM, REPORTS THE FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION. AND HOW DOES THAT APPLY TO THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST?

(1) AMONG MORE THAN A SCORE OF IMPORTANT MINERALS AND MINERAL PRODUCTS OF THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST ARE THE LARGEST, MOST ACCESSIBLE HIGH-GRADE MAGNESIUM (MAGNESITE) DEPOSITS IN THE UNITED STATES. THE BEST AND LARGEST ARE IN HUCKLEBERRY MOUNTAINS IN STEVENS COUNTY ABOVE GRAND COULEE DAM. ALSO IMPORTANT ARE MANGANESE AND ALUMINUM CLAY DEPOSITS OF WASHINGTON. (2) PRACTICAL DEVELOPMENT DEPENDS UPON

PRODUCTION OF CHEAP HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER. THE GRAND-COULEE-BONNEVILLE POWER NETWORK WILL PRODUCE THE CHEAPEST POWER IN THE WORLD FOR A RADIUS OF 300 MILES FROM GRAND COULEE DAM. (3) THERE MUST BE A

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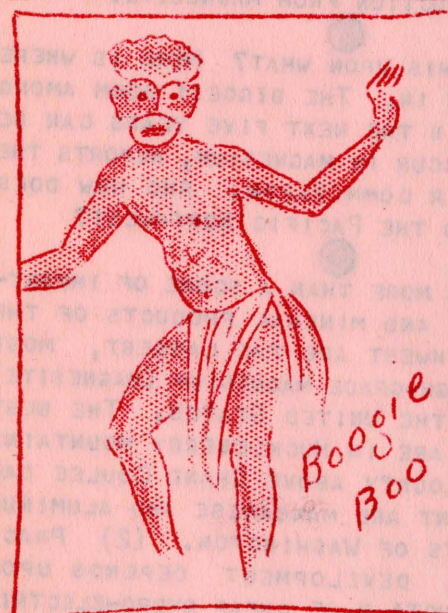
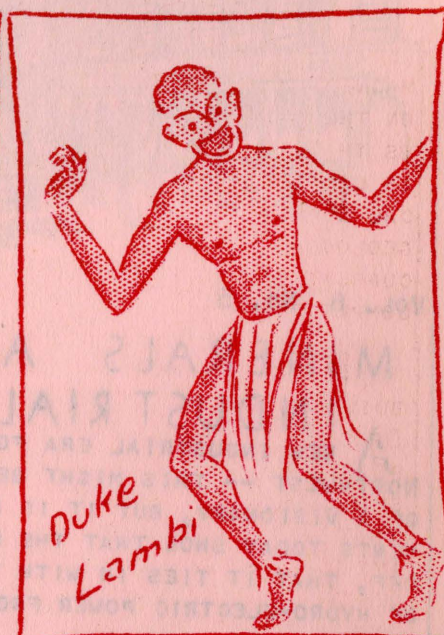
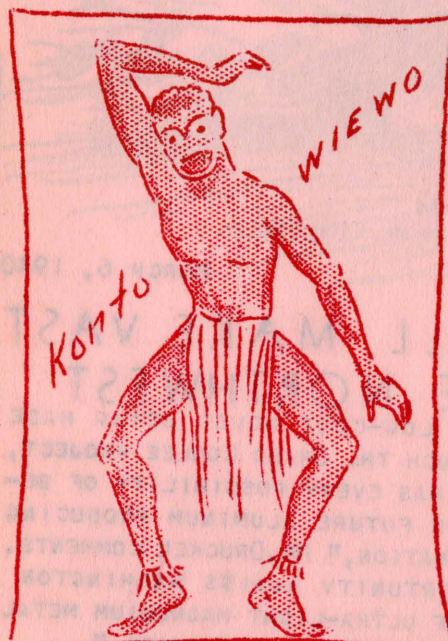
BE SAFE
DURING MARCH

"ZULU KINGS" vs.

(FROM THE TEAM OF INTERNATIONALLY-KNOWN JESSE OWENS & GLOBE TROTTERS OF PAST)

COULEE DAM ALL-STARS

COMMUNITY



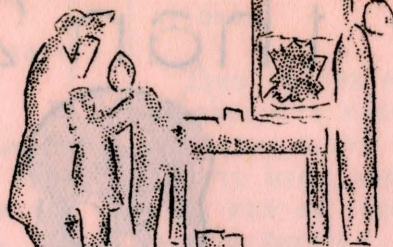
"WORLD'S
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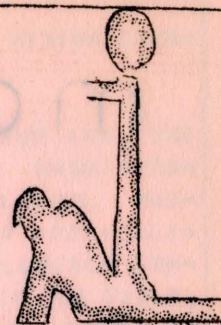
SAT. MARCH 9. 8 P.M.
C.B.I. GYM.



then



then



Unsafe worker discharged.... Family Rows.....Bum

MAGNESIUM

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MAGNESIUM METAL MARKET, BUT "THE ONLY REASON THE UNITED STATES PRODUCTION IS SO SMALL IS THAT THE ONLY PRESENT EASTERN PRODUCER IS LIMITED IN PRODUCTION BY INADEQUATE LOCAL SUPPLIES" (EDWIN T. HODGE, CONSULTING GEOLOGIST FOR THE WAR DEPARTMENT). (4) THE CURRENT PRICE OF MAGNESIUM SHOULD BE MORE COMPETITIVE----

IN THE BASEMENT OF THE SCHOOL OF MINES BUILDING ON THE STATE COLLEGE CAMPUS, MR. DRUCKER LAST WEEK POINTED OUT WHAT APPEARED TO BE LITTLE MORE THAN AN ORDINARY SMALL ELECTRIC FURNACE. "THREE YEARS AGO THAT WAS PART OF OUR PLANT IN THE EXPERIMENTAL PRODUCTION OF MAGNESIUM FROM MAGNESITE," HE SAID. "THE METHOD WE USED WAS SOMEWHAT LIKE THE BRINE METHOD OF MICHIGAN, BUT PRODUCTION WAS TOO COSTLY AND THE MAGNESIUM WAS NOT SUFFICIENTLY PURE TO SATISFY US. ABOUT TWO YEARS AGO WE STARTED ON A NEW PLANT." THE EYE IS ENOUGH TO NOTE THAT THE EXPERIMENT STATION BUILT THIS SECOND LITTLE PLANT BUT IT IS NOT ENOUGH TO NOTE THE TRIALS IN THE SOLUTION OF PROBLEMS AND CONSTRUCTION.

HOW IMPORTANT IS THIS SECOND LABORATORY PLANT? THROUGH USE OF AN ENTIRELY NEW METHOD (DIRECT CARBON REDUCTION) OF MAGNESIUM PRODUCTION, A PLANT OPERATING ON A LARGE SCALE OF PRODUCTION CAN TURN OUT MAGNESIUM METAL AT A COST OF ABOUT 10 CENTS A POUND. THIS FIGURE, IT IS ESTIMATED, CAN BE REDUCED TO ABOUT 8 CENTS IN THE FUTURE WHEN CHEAP ELECTRIC POWER IS AVAILABLE AND IS USED IN LARGE COMMERCIAL QUANTITIES. THE PRESENT MARKET PRICE IS FROM 28 TO 30 CENTS IN CARLOAD LOTS. OF FURTHER SIGNIFICANCE IS THAT THE LITTLE PLANT PRODUCES HIGH-PURITY METAL WITHOUT THE USUAL SALT OR CHLORIDE INCLUSIONS AND HAS A MUCH GREATER RESISTANCE TO ATMOSPHERIC CORROSION.

UNDER CONSTRUCTION ON THE CAMPUS AT PULLMAN BY THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF MINES IS A SMALL PILOT-PLANT CAPABLE OF PRODUCING 100 POUNDS OF MAGNESIUM DAILY. THIS WILL BE ENOUGH TO TEST THE MAGNESIUM METAL FOR ULTRA-LIGHT STRUCTURAL ALLOYS. THE LITTLE TEST LABORATORY PLANT PRODUCES THREE POUNDS DAILY.

THE METHOD OF PRODUCING THIS MAGNESIUM, A NEW ELECTRIC FURNACE PROCESS, IS THE MOST RECENT OF FOUR IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS WITHIN THE LAST FIVE YEARS AT THE EXPERIMENT STATION.

THE FIRST OF THE DEVELOPMENTS WAS THE COMPLETION OF A NEW SELECTIVE FLOTATION PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF HIGH-GRADE MAGNESITE FROM THE LOW-GRADE DEPOSITS IN STEVENS COUNTY. THIS, AS FAR AS IS KNOWN, IS THE FIRST SATISFACTORY SEPARATION BY FLOTATION OF MAGNESITE FROM DOLOMITE, THUS PRODUCING A SUPERIOR MAGNESITE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF MAGNESIUM METAL.

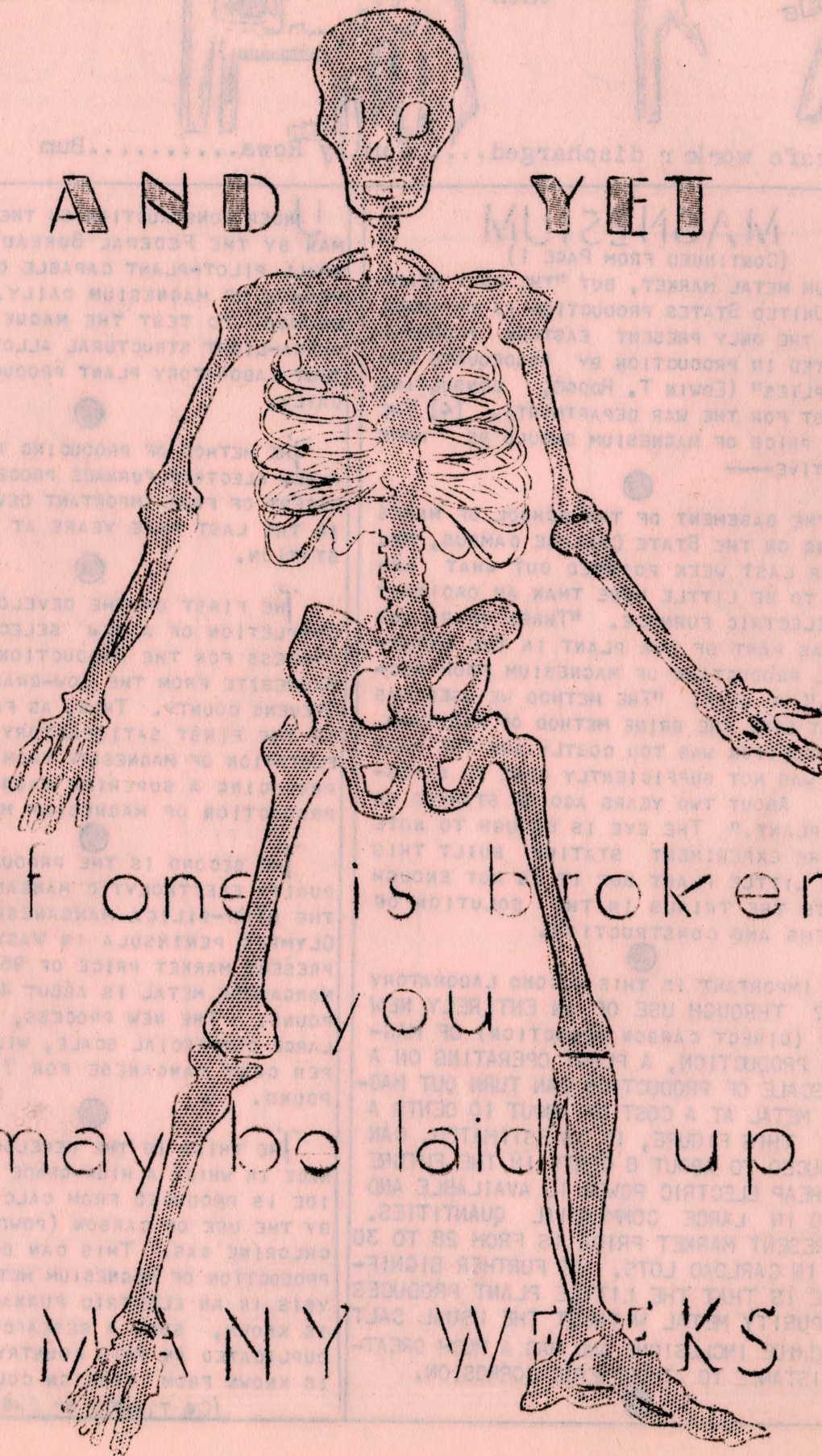
THE SECOND IS THE PRODUCTION OF HIGH-PURITY ELECTROLYTIC MANGANESE METAL FROM THE HIGH-SILICA MANGANESE ORES OF THE OLYMPIC PENINSULA IN WASHINGTON. THE PRESENT MARKET PRICE OF 96 TO 98 PER CENT MANGANESE METAL IS ABOUT 40 TO 50 CENTS A POUND. THE NEW PROCESS, OPERATING ON A LARGE COMMERCIAL SCALE, WILL PRODUCE 99.9+ PER CENT MANGANESE FOR 7 TO 9 CENTS A POUND.

THE THIRD IS THE DEVELOPMENT OF A FURNACE IN WHICH A HIGH-GRADE MAGNESIUM CHLORIDE IS PRODUCED FROM CALCINED MAGNESITE BY THE USE OF CARBON (POWDERED COAL) AND CHLORINE GAS. THIS CAN BE USED FOR THE PRODUCTION OF MAGNESIUM METAL BY ELECTROLYSIS IN AN ELECTRIC FURNACE. SO FAR AS IS KNOWN, SUCH A RESEARCH HAS NOT BEEN DUPLICATED IN THIS COUNTRY. VERY LITTLE IS KNOWN FROM FOREIGN COUNTRIES, WHERE

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more than 200 bones

AND YET



if one is broken
you
may be laid up

MANY WEEKS

MAGNESIUM

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SIMILAR INFORMATION WOULD BE HELD AS A MILITARY SECRET.

THE SELECTIVE FLOTATION PROCESS WHICH HAS CONSIDERABLY LOWERED THE COST OF PRODUCTION AND IMPROVED THE QUALITY OF THE MAGNESIUM METAL HAS BEEN PATENTED BY DOERNER AND HARRIS AND ASSIGNED TO THE STATE COLLEGE RESEARCH FOUNDATION. ROYALTIES THAT WILL ACCRUE FROM COMMERCIAL USE OF THE PROCESSES WILL BE APPLIED TO BENEFIT FURTHER RESEARCH IN THE MINERAL INTERESTS OF WASHINGTON AND THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST AND THE LIVELIHOOD OF EVERY RESIDENT. BENEFITS WILL ALSO ACCRUE TO THE NATION, WHICH HAS PRODUCED ANNUALLY FOR USE ONLY A SMALL PART AS MUCH MAGNESIUM AS GERMANY DOES. GERMANY, ENGLAND AND JAPAN ARE SUBSTITUTING MAGNESIUM FOR STEEL AND IRON.

WHAT IS THIS MINERAL CALLED MAGNESIUM? GEOLOGIST E. T. HODGE DEFINES IT. "MAGNESIUM IS 'THE METAL OF THE FUTURE'. ITS CHEAP PRODUCTION WILL OPEN UP TO MANKIND MANY FIELDS OF ACTIVITIES NOW DENIED HIM. MAGNESIUM WEIGHS ONLY TWO-THIRDS AS MUCH AS ALUMINUM AND LESS THAN ONE-FOURTH AS MUCH AS STEEL. ALLOYS RICH IN MAGNESIUM HAVE A SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF 1.83 OR LESS, AND THESE ALLOYS HAVE WORKING PROPERTIES SIMILAR TO STEEL; THE CORROSION RESISTANCE OF SOME OF THE ALLOYS IS HIGH, AND IN ADDITION, WEIGHT FOR WEIGHT, SOME ALLOYS ARE FOUR TIMES AS STRONG AND STIFF AS ORDINARY STEEL. NO OTHER INDUSTRIAL METAL HAS SUCH LIGHT WEIGHT AND YET SUCH GREAT STRENGTH."

AN IMPORTANT BY-PRODUCT OF THE MAGNESITE ORE IS THAT OF DRY ICE, ONE-HALF TON OF WHICH CAN BE PRODUCED FROM EVERY TON OF MAGNESITE. THIS SOLID FORM OF CARBON DIOXIDE IS NOT SUFFICIENT TO SUPPLY THE EXPANDING MARKET. IT IS USED PRINCIPALLY IN FOOD PREPARATION AND HANDLING, FOR QUICKLY FROZEN DESERTS, SHIPMENT OF FLOWERS AND FOR SHRINKING CASTINGS. THE LIQUID FORM IS IMPORTANT FOR A GREAT VARIETY OF APPLICATIONS, SUCH AS THE CARBONATION OF BEVERAGES, FIRE EXTINGUISHERS AND



LESSON

WITHOUT

WORDS

NON-EXPLOSIVE CARTRIDGES FOR MINING OPERATIONS.

AND IN THE FUTURE, ALUMINUM AND THE BY-PRODUCTS FROM THE EASTERN WASHINGTON AND IDAHO CLAYS SUCH AS SILICA SAND, MUSCOVITE MICA AND KAOLIN OFFER POSSIBILITIES FOR AN INDUSTRY. THE ALUMINUM COMPANY OF AMERICA, LONE COMPANY IN THE FIELD, HAS ANNOUNCED ITS DECISION TO ERECT AN ALUMINUM REDUCTION PLANT AT VANCOUVER, WASH., UTILIZING DUTCH GUIANA BAUXITE ORE. ALSO AT THE SAME LOCATION A PIG IRON AND STEEL PLANT IS TO BE ERECTED, MR. DRUCKER MENTIONED.

AMONG METAL POSSIBILITIES OF THE STATE HE RECOMMENDS ELECTROTHERMIC MAGNESIUM, ELECTROLYTIC ALUMINUM, ELECTROLYTIC MANGANESE, CHROMIUM (SODIUM CHROMATE AND DICHROMATE), ELECTROLYTIC TIN, ELECTROTHERMIC ZINC, AND ELECTRIC FURNACE IRON AND STEEL FROM SCRAP IRON.

AS THE RESULT OF LONG RESEARCH, HE CONCLUDED THAT THE MOST FEASIBLE METAL FABRICATING INDUSTRIES FOR THE REGION ARE (1) LIGHT STRUCTURAL MAGNESIUM ALLOYS AND FABRICATED SHAPES FOR TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT, MAGNESIUM CASTINGS, AEROPLANES, FLYING BOATS, BUSES, TRUCKS, RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK PARTS FROM LIGHT METALS, ALUMINUM AND MAGNESIUM ALLOY MINE CAGES, SKIPS, CARS AND SHOVEL DIPPERS. (2) OTHER POSSIBLE INDUSTRIES FOR THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST ARE THE MAKING OF ALUMINUM AND MAGNESIUM CANS FOR THE CANNING INDUSTRY OF THE PACIFIC COAST AND ALASKA, FABRICATED SHAPES AND CASTINGS FOR IRON AND STEEL, CARBON AND GRAPHITE ELECTRODES FOR ELECTRIC FURNACES. (3) ELECTRIC FURNACE GLASS (SILICA) BRICK AND BLOCKS FOR THE BUILDING INDUSTRY IS ANOTHER PROMISING POSSIBILITY. (4) AMONG THE MOST PROBABLE NON-METALLIC INDUSTRIES HE LISTS PHOSPHATE FERTILIZERS FOR THE FARMS, CALCIUM CARBIDE FROM WASHINGTON LIMESTONE AND COKE, SILICON CARBIDE, ABRASIVES AND REFRACTORIES. (5) SYNTHETIC SILK FROM THE OLYMPIC PENINSULA HEMLOCK CELLULOSE AND THE ACETIC ACID DERIVED FROM ELECTRIC FURNACE CALCIUM CARBIDE ARE OTHER FIELDS.

AND HOW MUCH ELECTRIC POWER
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MASON CITY STORES



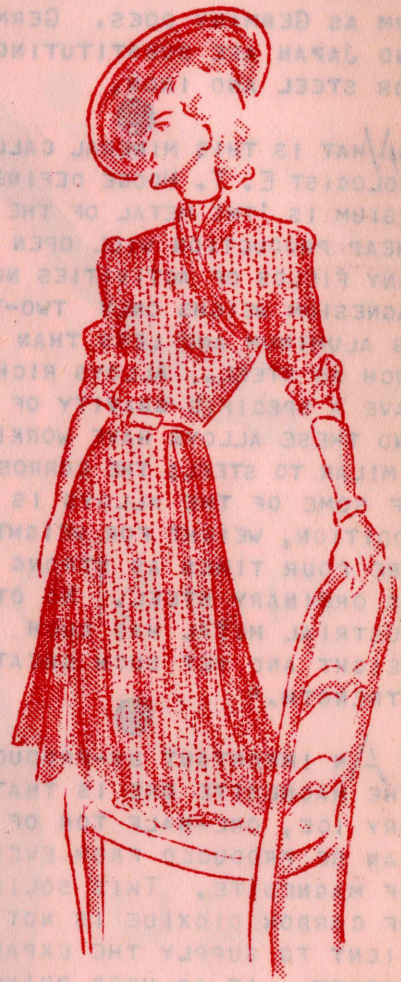
EASTER'S

Just around the corner



DRESSES
SUITS
SHOES
HATS

All new stock

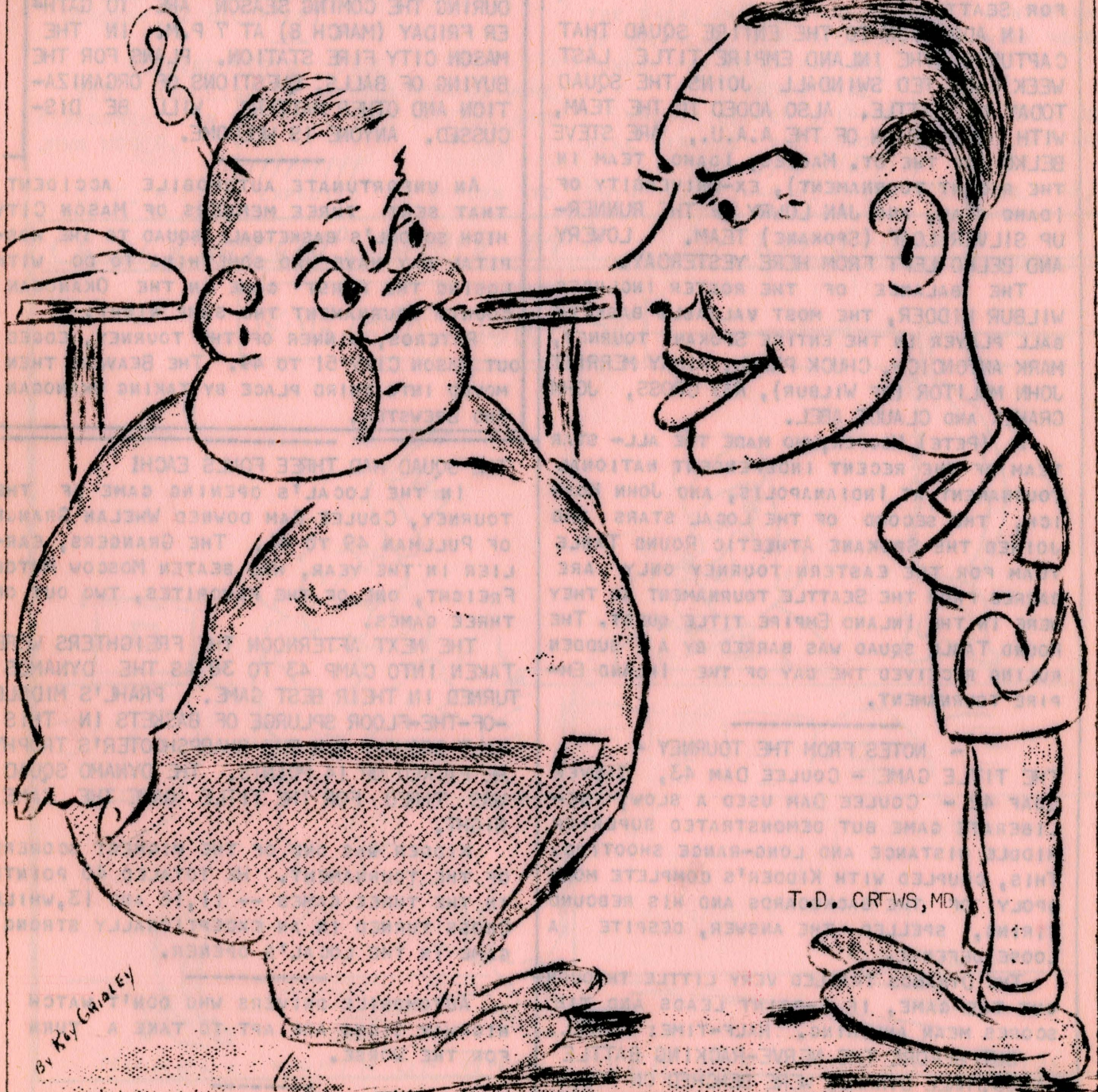


INDUSTRIES REQUIRE? AMONG HEAVY USERS, ALUMINUM REQUIRES ABOUT 12 KILOWATT-HOURS PER POUND OF ALUMINUM, MR. DRUCKER EXPLAINS, WHILE MAGNESIUM REQUIRES ABOUT 8 TO 11. HE IS OF THE OPINION THAT AFTER ABOUT 25 YEARS OF DEVELOPMENT WITH THE RAW MATERIALS AT HAND, CHEAP POWER AND TIDE-WATER TRANSPORTATION, THESE NEW ELECTRO-CHEMICAL AND METALLURGICAL INDUSTRIES WILL BE UTILIZING MORE THAN ONE-HALF MILLION HORSE POWER IN THE PRODUCTION OF PERMANENT INDUSTRIES AND JOBS FOR THE NEEDY IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST TO THE BENEFIT OF THE STATE, THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST AND THE NATION.

MEETING TONIGHT

PERSONS INTERESTED IN PRODUCTS OF THE EARTH WILL MEET TONIGHT (THURSDAY) AT 7:30 IN THE BASEMENT OF THE USBR GYMNASIUM IN THE FIRST MEETING AFTER INTRODUCTORY ORGANIZATION OF THE GRAND COULEE DAM GEOLOGY CLUB. OFFICERS ARE TO BE ELECTED. ROCK SAMPLES MAY BE BROUGHT BY ANYONE INTERESTED.

IF HE CAN ATTEND, FRED JONES, USBR LAB INSPECTOR, WILL DISCUSS "PETRIFICATION OF WOODS IN WYOMING" AND WILL SHOW EXAMPLES.



T.D. CREWS, MD.

STATE TOURNEY TONIGHT SENDS COULEE AGAINST ALPINE DAIRY

THE TEAM THAT BEAT THE TEAM THAT BEAT THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON VARSITY--

THE WHEEL OF FORTUNE SPUN AND ENDED UP WITH ALPINE DAIRY AS THE BASKET-THROWING ATHLETES THE INLAND EMPIRE A.A.U. CHAMPION DYNAMOS FACE TONIGHT IN THE STATE TOURNAMENT IN SEATTLE. ALPINE DAIRY EDGED OUT S.L. SAVIDGE FOR THE SEATTLE CITY TITLE. SAVIDGE HAD "RUN CIRCLES" AROUND THE WASHINGTON VARSITY EARLIER IN THE SEASON.

ALPINE DAIRY HAS SUCH STARS AS TOM WERNER, IVAR NELSON, BOB GRAF, WILLIE HILTON AND DICK VOELKER.

"WE'D RATHER FACE THE TOUGH ONES FIRST THAN LAST," WAS MANAGER MIKE MESI'S COMMENT YESTERDAY MORNING BEFORE HEADING FOR SEATTLE.

IN ADDITION TO THE ENTIRE SQUAD THAT CAPTURED THE INLAND EMPIRE TITLE LAST WEEK END, TED SWINDALL JOINS THE SQUAD TODAY IN SEATTLE. ALSO ADDED TO THE TEAM, WITH PERMISSION OF THE A.A.U., ARE STEVE BELKO (OF THE ST. MARIES, IDAHO, TEAM IN THE RECENT TOURNAMENT), EX-UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO STAR, AND JAN LOWRY OF THE RUNNER-UP SILVER LOAF (SPOKANE) TEAM. LOWRY AND BELKO LEFT FROM HERE YESTERDAY.

THE BALANCE OF THE ROSTER INCLUDES WILBUR KIDDER, THE MOST VALUABLE BASKETBALL PLAYER IN THE ENTIRE SPOKANE TOURNEY, MARK ANTONCICH, CHUCK PRAHL, PINKY MERRITT, JOHN MOLITOR (OF WILBUR), RAY CROSS, JOHN GRAHEK AND CLAUDE ABEL.

AL (PETE) HOOPER, WHO MADE THE ALL-STAR TEAM OF THE RECENT INDEPENDENT NATIONAL TOURNAMENT AT INDIANAPOLIS, AND JOHN KOSICH, THE SECOND OF THE LOCAL STARS WHO JOINED THE SPOKANE ATHLETIC ROUND TABLE TEAM FOR THE EASTERN TOURNEY ONLY ARE BARRED FROM THE SEATTLE TOURNAMENT AS THEY WERE IN THE INLAND EMPIRE TITLE QUEST. THE ROUND TABLE SQUAD WAS BARRED BY A SUDDEN RULING RECEIVED THE DAY OF THE INLAND EMPIRE TOURNAMENT.

----- NOTES FROM THE TOURNEY -

THE TITLE GAME - COULEE DAM 43, SILVER LOAF 42 - COULEE DAM USED A SLOW, DELIBERATE GAME BUT DEMONSTRATED SUPERIOR MIDDLE DISTANCE AND LONG-RANGE SHOOTING. THIS, COUPLED WITH KIDDER'S COMPLETE MONOPOLY OF THE BACKBOARDS AND HIS REBOUND FIRING, SPELLED THE ANSWER, DESPITE A LOOSE DEFENSE.

THE DYNAMOS TRAILED VERY LITTLE THROUGHOUT THE GAME, IF 1-POINT LEADS AND TIE SCORES MEAN ANYTHING. HALF-TIME: 20-ALL.

BUT BEFORE THE NERVE-RACKING BATTLE ENDED, THREE DYNAMOS WERE BENCHED ON FOULS AND FOUR OF THE FIVE REMAINING MEMBERS OF

softball

PERSONS INTERESTED IN PLAYING SOFTBALL IN THE GRAND COULEE DAM SOFTBALL LEAGUE DURING THE COMING SEASON ARE TO GATHER FRIDAY (MARCH 8) AT 7 P.M. IN THE MASON CITY FIRE STATION. PLANS FOR THE BUYING OF BALLS, QUESTIONS OF ORGANIZATION AND OTHER MATTERS WILL BE DISCUSSED. ANYONE IS WELCOME.

AN UNFORTUNATE AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT THAT SENT THREE MEMBERS OF MASON CITY HIGH SCHOOL'S BASKETBALL SQUAD TO THE HOSPITAL MAY HAVE HAD SOMETHING TO DO WITH LOSING THE FIRST GAME IN THE OKANOGAN COUNTY TOURNAMENT THE SAME NIGHT.

PATEROS, WINNER OF THE TOURNEY, EDGED OUT MASON CITY 51 TO 49. THE BEAVERS THEN MOVED INTO THIRD PLACE BY TAKING OKANOGAN AND BREWSTER.

----- THE SQUAD HAD THREE FOULS EACH!

IN THE LOCAL'S OPENING GAME OF THE TOURNEY, COULEE DAM DOWNED WHELAN GRANGE OF PULLMAN 49 TO 41. THE GRANGERS, EARLIER IN THE YEAR, HAD BEATEN MOSCOW MOTOR FREIGHT, ONE OF THE FAVORITES, TWO OUT OF THREE GAMES.

THE NEXT AFTERNOON THE FREIGHTERS WERE TAKEN INTO CAMP 43 TO 38 AS THE DYNAMOS TURNED IN THEIR BEST GAME. PRAHL'S MIDDLE-OF-THE-FLOOR SPLURGE OF BASKETS IN THIS TILT BROUGHT HIM THE SHARPSHOOTER'S TROPHY. HE PICKED UP 14 POINTS. THE DYNAMO SQUAD WAS TIRED FOR THE TITLE GAME THE SAME NIGHT.

KIDDER WAS ONE OF THE HIGHEST SCORERS OF THE TOURNAMENT. HE TOTALED 40 POINTS IN THE THREE GAMES -- 11, 16 AND 13, WHILE CROSS TURNED IN AN EXCEPTIONALLY STRONG GAME IN THE LOCAL'S OPENER.

AUTOMOBILE DRIVERS WHO DON'T WATCH HIGHWAY SIGNS ARE APT TO TAKE A TURN FOR THE WORSE.

MASON CITY HOSPITAL

MARCH 4, TO MR. AND MRS. FRED RUBOW, GRAND COULEE, A SON.

MARCH 4, TO MR. AND MRS. HENRY HOPEWELL, MASON CITY, A SON.

MARCH 4, TO MR. AND MRS. V. A. PALMER, MASON CITY, A DAUGHTER.

FEB. 29, TO MR. AND MRS. METZ S. PACHOSA, GRAND COULEE, A DAUGHTER.

FEB. 29, TO MR. AND MRS. T. E. NANN, COULEE DAM, A SON.

FEB. 21, TO MR. AND MRS. W. L. MARTINSON, OSBORNE, A DAUGHTER.

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NON-INDUSTRIAL CASES

VERY SUCCESSFUL APPENDECTOMIES WERE PERFORMED UPON YOUTHFUL GENE RUSSELL AND JOHN MOSER.

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J. F. REIS IS EXPECTED TO RETURN TO

HIS HOME TODAY FOLLOWING A RECENT TONSILLECTOMY.

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VICTIMS OF AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT EN ROUTE TO THE OKANOGAN COUNTY TOURNAMENT TWO WEEKS AGO, THE THREE INJURED MASON CITY HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS HAVE BEEN RELEASED FROM THE HOSPITAL.

DAVE CLEVENGER, WITH A FRACTURE OF THE BACK, HAS BEEN HOME FOR A WEEK. NORTON WATERS, WHO ALSO SUFFERED A FRACTURE OF THE BACK, AND ED WINTERS, WITH A CONTUSION OF THE HEAD, WERE RELEASED TO THEIR HOMES MONDAY FOR RECOVERY.

INDUSTRIAL

WHEN A LADDER SLIPPED, E. T. COLLINS FELL SIX FEET AND FRACTURED HIS LEFT ARM.

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DRIVE SANELY--O.K. DRIVE RECKLESSLY -K.O.

IMBINATION, AIN'T IT?

BY ROY GRIDLEY

MEAT. DEPT.



NICKELS WORTH OF HAMBURGER FOR "CUDDLES", PLEASE.

CARELESSNESS WITH TOOLS

MAY
COST
A
LIFE



START THIS SPRING SEASON RIGHT
BY NOT PILING OR LEAVING TOOLS OR
OTHER MATERIALS ON THE EDGE OF BLOCKS
WHERE THEY CAN DROP DOWN UPON WORKMEN
IN LOWER BLOCKS OR WORKING ON THE TRASHRACKS.
THIS HAS BEEN A CAUSE OF TROUBLE IN THE PAST.



"HERE'S THE TEN BUCKS I OWE
YA, JOE."

ENLISTING RE-
CENTLY IN THE
THE ARMY OF
WHAT SOMEONE
CALLED "WEDDED
BLISS" ARE WIN-
NIFRED WILLIAMS
AND TOM WALL OF
THE USBR. THEIR
HOME: 603 BIRCH,
MASON CITY.....

LOOKS AS IF
IT WILL TAKE

YOUNG MISS PACHOSA AND YOUNG MR. MANN A LONG
TIME TO BECOME OF AGE.

LEAP YEAR BIRTHDAYS FOR FEB. 29 CAN ONLY
BE FOUND ON THE CALENDAR ONCE EVERY FOUR
YEARS.

IT WAS A SINGING TELEGRAM THAT BEGAN IN
THE TONE OF LAWRENCE TIBBETT, QUICKLY SWUNG
TO GENE AUSTIN, CEDED TO BABY SNOOKS---AND
THE NEXT DAY HOWARD WELCH HAD A COLD.

QUESTIONS RECEIVED FROM SNEAK, SNOOP &
SNITCH--

(1) CAN IT BE THAT LEROY RICKEY IS
STARTING A BANK ACCOUNT? IS THIS TRUE, HAZEL?

(2) THE FOREMOST QUESTION IN THE MINDS
OF MASON CITY'S FAIRER SEX:- WHY DID J. V.
MIMS SHAVE OFF HIS MOUSTACHE?

IT'S EASIER TO HANDLE A CLUTCH THAN A
CRUTCH.

THESE THEME SONGS OFTEN HAVE TO CARRY A
BIG PART OF THE BURDEN OF A PLAY PRODUCTION.

SIGNIFICANT ALSO WAS THE RECENT THEME
SONG OF JANE CREACY, "IF I COULD BE THE DUM-
MY UPON YOUR KNEE."

THEY SAY THAT SPRING BRINGS FLUSHES TO
THE CHEEK. SPRING CAME EARLY FOR DAVE
WILLIAMS, AS THE STATE PATROL CAN TESTIFY.

..AUTOMOBILES MAY LOOK ALIKE, BUT LICENSE
PLATES DIFFER.

..AND SO A LAUGH A DAY MAY KEEP THE DOC-
TOR AWAY, BUT NOT THE STATE PATROL

ACCORDING TO OUR SHORT-WAVE STATION, A
LOCAL "FEUD" HAS FLAMED ANEW AND THEN
BEEN DOUSED WITH ICE WATER.

APPEARS THAT J.W. (WHITEY) WADDINGTON
MIGHT HAVE OWED FOR A SHIRT IF HE HAD GOT
THE SHIRT. "HE'S GOTTA PAY," REMARKS R.
B. OVER'N-OVER. FRIEND A.T. MAGUIRE IN-
TERCEDES FINANCIALLY TO ALLAY THE SEEDS

YACHT CLUB MEETING

REGULAR MEETING OF THE GRAND COULEE
DAM YACHT CLUB FRIDAY EVENING (MARCH 8),
BASEMENT, USBR SCHOOL HOUSE. NOMINATING
COMMITTEE WILL ANNOUNCE CANDIDATES FOR
OFFICERS OF THE COMING SEASON.

TOTAL CONCRETE PLACED BY CBI UP TO
MARCH 1 IS 4,589,000 YARDS. FEBRUARY ADD-
ED 49,133 YARDS AND JANUARY ADDED 4802
YARDS.

A DUMMY WENT INTO USE THIS WEEK -- BUT
NOT AN ORDINARY DUMMY.

A DUMMY GATE OF THE SAME DIMENSIONS OF
GATES FOR THE UPSTREAM SIDE OF THE MAIN
UNITS PENSTOCKS IS IN USE. THIS IS TO TEST
CLEARANCE IN THE GATE GUIDES FOR FUTURE
PERMANENT GATES.

THE LAST TWO OF THE FOUR BIG 175- TON
MWAK DIVERSION GATES ARE DONE FOR. THE
TWO HAVE BEEN CUT INTO SECTIONS WITH AXES
AND PULLED APART BY GREASY MARY. TIMBERS
ARE TO BE BURNED.

THE 12 INLET TUBE PIPES FOR THE PUMPING
PLANT HAVE BEEN PLACED.

DAILY CONCRETE AVERAGES FOR THE PAST
WEEK HAVE BEEN SLIGHTLY OVER 7500 YARDS.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS--ASSISTANT MY-
COLOGIST (SOILS), BUREAU OF PLANT PATHOL-
OGY; CHIEF, RESEARCH AND STATISTICAL SER-
VICE, FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY (\$5600 A
YEAR). CLOSING DATE: MARCH 28.

FULL INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED FROM
M.M. SMITH, SECRETARY, LOCAL BOARD OF CIV-
IL SERVICE EXAMINERS, COULEE DAM (USBR
AD BUILDING)

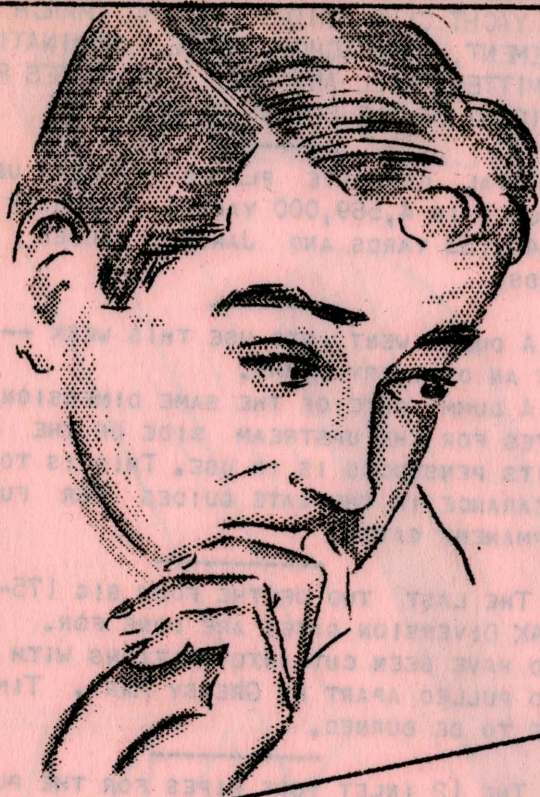
THE PRESENT FLOW OF THE COLUMBIA RIVER
IS ABOUT TWICE THAT OF THE LOW WINTER PER-
IOD.

WHEN A WIFE KEEPS HER HUSBAND IN HOT
WATER HE SOON BECOMES HARD BOILED.

IF YOU RACE THROUGH TRAFFIC YOU MAY LIMP
THROUGH LIFE.

OF DISCORD. BUT INSTEAD OF PAYING FOR A
'DEBT', HE UNWITTINGLY SUPPORTED A CELEBRA-
TION AT WHICH HE WAS THE HONORED GUEST. AS
WE HEAR THE VIBRATIONS, THE CHUCKLES ARE
MOSTLY ONE-SIDED.

BUT SUCH IS THE WAY OF LIFE.



DON'T
MISS



THURS.
FRI. SAT.

CARY GRANT
ROSALIND RUSSELL

in

"His Girl Friday"

MASON CITY THEATRE